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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Bruce A. BRANDT et al.))
Application No.: 09/652,275) Group Art Unit: 3653
Filed: August 31, 2000) Examiner: D. Schlak
For: APPARATUS AND METHODS FOR PROCESSING MAILPIECE INFORMATION IN A MAIL PROCESSING DEVICE USING SORTER APPLICATION SOFTWARE	ROUP (
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Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time to reply to the Office Action of May 9, 2002. A fee of \$920.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

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